# LOCAL NEWS.

COUNTY CONSERVATIVE MEETINGS. - Conservative meetings were held in the county last | was wearing torn from her person, and would night in Washington and Arlington townships. In Washington township the meeting, which was well attended, was presided over by H. W. Febrey, S. F. Staleup, Secretary. G. O. Wunder, H. W. Febrey and Charles Payne were chosen delegates to the Senatorial Convention, which meets here on the 4th proximo, and a resolution was unanimously adopted instructing the delegates to vote for the candidate from Alexandria who is before the Convention most strongly supported by the city. H. W. Febrey, Geo. O. Wunder, W. W. Sellers, Samuel Tibus, Edward Deeble and

Charles Payne were chosen delegates to the County Convention, to nominate candidates for the House of Delegates. Mr. G. O. Wunder, was unanimously recommended as a candidate from the county, and the delegates to the Convention were instructed to vote for that gentleman, and Mr. S. C. Neale, of the city, in Couvention. Bazil Hall, W. Tucker, Edward Deeble, Wm. Marcey, and Joseph McNeer were appointed to see that all the Conservative voters of the township are brought to the polls on the day of election, and Samuel Birch and V. W. Sellers were appointed to be at the polls as challengers.

In Arlington township the meeting was presided over by G. Wibert, A. W. F. Carlin, Secretary. Upon balloting for delegates to the Senatorial Convention Septimus Brown, A.W. F. Carlin, and Robert Veitch were declared elected. A committee of five, appointed by the chair, recommended the following delegates to the County Convention, which meets here on the 5th of October to nominate candidates for the House of Delegates: W. Birch, A. W. F. Carlin, R. Veitch, J. Fields, S. Brown and J. Dye. R. Veitch was appointed "Chief" of the township, after which the meeting ad-

MEDALS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS .- At the final examinations in the various public schools. last June, the City Superintendent requested the Principal of each school to name the boy or girl who had been most punctual, obedient. and studious during the session, promising a medal to each. These medals have just been completed and are on exhibition at the jewelry store of Maj. George Duffey. They are of a novel pattern, that of an ellipsoidal leaf, and are handsomely engraved. On the obverse of each is the inscription :- "Alexandria Public Schools, 1871, Superintendent's Medal.' On the reverse is "To——of——School." the reverse is "To-of-

Those whose names they bear are as follows: John Leynch, Washington School, Jere-Guilford White, Custis School, Annie M. Cogswill, Lee School, Annie R. Richards, Peabody School, George Dixon, Snowden School, Jane Solomon, Hallowell School, and Ida Wibirt. Columbia School, No. 1, of Arlington District in the county. An early opportunity will be taken we understand for presenting these medals in as public a manner as may be

AUTOGRAPH LETTER .- Among the articles saved from the Market House fire were the originals of the following letter and accompanying endorsement, which are now on exhibition of Aldermen. at the jewelry store of W. W. Adams & Sons, King street:

Mount Vernon, 12th Nov. 1799. Gentlemen:-Mrs. Washington and myself have been honored with your polite invitation to the Assemblies in Alexandria, this winter; and thank you for this mark of your attention. But alas! our dancing days are no more; we wish, however, all those whose relish for so agreeable and innocent an amusement, all the pleasure the season will afford them, and I am | fruitless. gentlemen your most obedient and obliged G. WASHINGTON. humble servant, Messrs. Jonathan Swift, George Deueate, Wim.

Newton, Robert Young, Chas. Alexander, jr., and James H. Hooe, Managers. Original letter of Gen. Washington, written one month previous to his death. Presented to the Museum by Jno. Swift, esq., in behalf of the managers of the Assembly, March 26th,

THE HEBREW FEAST OF TABERNACLES.-To-night begins the Hebrew Feast of Tabernacles, which, succeeding the fast of Atonement, continues according to the scriptural command seven days, as observed by the Reformed party among the Israelites, and eight days according to the Rabbinical code, kept by the Orthodox Israelites. The first and the last days are "days of convocation," the intervening days being "half holidays."

ALEXANDRIA AND FREDERICKSBURG RAIL-ROAD. -Messrs. McClure and Studds, the contractors for building the first seven miles of the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railroad, have finished their work, and their hands were in this city this morning drawing their pay and having their accounts settled. It is understood that the road is ready for track laying as far as Colchester-eighteen miles below the

RELIGIOUS .- The Sacrament of Confirmation will be administered according to the rites of the Catholic Church, by the Rt. Rev. John McGill, D. D., Bishop of Richmond, at St. Mary's Church, on Sunday next at 10 o'clock. a. m. The Bishop will preach on the occasion. Quite a number of children and some adults are to be confirmed.

CANAL NAVIGATION.-The Washington Star says :- A letter received by Capt. Masters, of the Borden Coal Mining Company, from a gentlemen a hundred miles up the canal, reports recent heavy rains, and the writer expresses the opinion that canal navigation will remain uninterrupted for the rest of the

REVIVAL SERVICES.—The revival services now in progress at the Washington Street M E. Church, and conducted by Rev. W. F. Hemenway, continue to be well attended and promise the most satisfactory results. A series of similar meetings will commence

in the Baptist Church next week. SIGNAL LIGHTS ON SAILING VESSELS,-The

Chief of the Revenue Marine Service has decided that vessels loaded with hay or combustible matter may, on the approach of a steamer, waive a globe lantern instead of a lighted torch. as now required.

CITY SCHOOL BOARD. - The regular mouthly meeting of the School Board will be held at the Superintendent's Office this evening at 74

No MEETING .- The meeting of the Radicals of the Third Ward, to have been held last night, was postponed by order of the President of the

Swell-head chickens is the latest disease reported among poultry. A disease by that name has for a long time prevailed among

RESIGNED .- Mr. James Craig, the manager of Mount Vernon, has resigned that position, in consequence of the sickness prevailing there.

his two stores Nos. 90 and 92 King street. the 4th U. S. Artilery in North Carolina.

while walking up Prince street, near the corner of Pitt, yesterday evening, was attacked by a black heifer, and had the red sacque she doubtless have received severe injuries had not a young physician, who witnessed the affair, gone to her assistance and driven off the infuriated animal.

MAYOR'S OFFICE. - Charles Lewis. colored. for shooting a gun within the limits of the Corporation, was fined and discharged.

NIGHT REPORT.-Night clear and cool. There were no disturances nor any arrests. One lodger was at the station house but no sixth street occupied by the same firm. The prisoners were there.

COUNTY COURT.-The October and quarterly term of the County Court, Judge R. II. Cockerille to preside, will commence on Monday next. But two criminal cases are set for this term-Otho Berry, for horse stealing, and John | Council has been appointed to extend the hos-H. Gowings, for resisting and attempting to in- pitality of the city to the Grand Duke Alexis. timidate an officer.

RIVER NEWS .- Captain Frank Keys, just up from the mouth of the river, reports three three-masted schooners, light, between Maryland Point and Blackistons Island, and a loaded two masted schooner off Quantico, bound

PROPERTY SALE .- The lot on the northeast corner of Alfred and Cameron streets, the property of the late J. J. Lloyd. has been sold by for the issue of 1862. Green and Wise, land agents, to the German Lutheran congregation for \$700.

That Robbed .- The till of the shop of John Dogan, colored, at King street wharf, was robbed this morning, during the momentary absence of the proprietor, of all its contents.

ON THE WAYS .- The steamer Pennsylvania, which plies beteewn here and Mr. Naglee's fishing shore, has been hauled up on the ways at Green's ship-yard for repairs.

GAS Buas .- To-morrow will be the last day upon which a discount is allowed upon gas bills for the last quarter. Consumers will do well to bear this in mind and save the difference.

We are indebted to Mr. Geo. C. Wedder burn, of this place, a delegate to the Commercial Convention, for a copy, in pamplet form, of the first day's proceedings.

# TELEGRAPH NEWS.

[DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

### FOREIGN NEWS.

custom for centuries assembled today in Guild- est, tinest, most varied, and most fashionable hall and elected Alderman Fitz John Gibbons ever before brought to this city. to the office of Lord Mayor for the ensuing civic year which begins on the 9th of November .-Gibbons is a member of the Conservative party and a successful merchant, and at present fills the position of senior members of the court | ments of

The Duke of Grammout is expected in Lon-

LONDON, Sept. 29 .- A Times' special Versailles says :- France declines to give other powers the same favorable customs clauses that are accorded to Germany under the recent negotiated treaty. On the other hand a correspondent of the Times writing from the same place expresses the opinion that the negotiations with Germany will be protracted and

VERSAILLES, Sept. 29 .- M. Lambecht, Minister of Commerce, has informed the committee of the assembly who have control of legislative affairs during the recess, that the negotiation with Germany are making fair progress. The rumor that evidences of a Bonapartist conspiracy have been discovered proves unfounded.

LONDON, Sept. 29.-Heavy gales continue and several disasters to shipping and minor casualties are reported.

London, Sept. 29 -P. S. Gilmor has presented to the Secretary of War, Right Hon. Edward Cardwell, the details of the plan for the grand International Musical festival to be held in Boston, Massachusetts, on the 17th of June 1872. Mr. Cardwell, acting on behalf of consideration to the scheme and finally promised to the projector the use of the splended band of the Guards. Mr. Gilmon goes to Band of the Guards. Mr. Gilmon goes to Band of the Guards. band of the Guards. Mr. Gilmor goes to Berlin and Paris at which capitals he hopes to obtain permission from the Governments of Germany and France for the use of some of the best bands in their military service.

From New York. NEW YORK, Sept. 29.-The Protestant Episcopal Convention adjourned last night. The report of the special committee on the claims of the diocese of Long Island and Albany to a division of the fund of the New York Episcopate was adopted. It says the Convention has neither the power nor the right to divert any portion of the fund. It is said to be likely that legal measures will be adopted by the new dio-

cese, and be contested by the New Yorkers. The sub-committee appointed by the committee of seventy to solicit the co-operation of the Governor in the matter of the New York frauds had an important meeting last night. The Dept. of Docks, though it has yet suf-

fered no great inconvenience from Judge Barnard's injunction, will soon want the \$500,000 for which it has made requisition on the Comptroller. The injunction, so far as it affects this Board, will probably soon be dissolved.

Samuel J. Tilden and Wm. F. Havemeyer held a consultation yesterday with the leaders of the various Democratic reform organizations with a view to uniting on one solid delegation to the Rochester Convention in opposition to Tammany. An agreement for that purpose is said to have been effected.

A letter from Treasurer Hilton, of the Dept. of Parks, appears in print, demanding from the Comptroller further and immediate funds. Assistant District Attorney Sullivan has refused to dismiss the case against Harbor Master, Daniel Hart, notwithstanding the fact that the original prosecutors asked the dismissal. Co!, Wm. L. Shuttleworth, of the U. S. Marine Corps, died in Brooklyn, last Wednesday,

aged 59. A number of coolies who have completed an eight years term of service in Havana, arrived here yesterday on the steamer Missouri, and leave Monday for California. The Cuban authorities pay their expenses to California. A temporary injunction has been granted by

Chancellor Zabriskie, of New Jersey, restraining the Mount Clair R. R. company from taking land from private individuals at its own valuation. A motion will be made on Monday to render the injunction perpetual.

The Meeting of Builders, last night, was somewhat noisy. Finally a new committee was formed to wait upon Superintendent Magregor for his explanation; and a careful investigation will be made before legal proceedings are insti-

The case of supposed yellow fever in Brooklyn proves to be only typhoid pueumonia. Police Captain Cameron is still searching for kits Shad Roe. Local Brevities.

Fritz Schneider will serve a free lunch at his restaurant, No. 115 King street to-morrow.

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\*\*PURE CIDER VINEGAR for sale at 147 to 147 t the other day for situations, and they got what they wanted as soon as the paper reached the country.

This Virginia made Cheese constantly on factory, market rates, who leads and for sale by successful in Europe.

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Scales of all consignment, direct from factory, market rates, who leads and retail.

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R. M. LAWSON.

Sep 21 WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

The Tribune says :- "We accept the ticket ATTACKED BY A HEIFER, -A young lady yesterday nominated at Syracuse, and pledge of the control of the yesterday nominated at Syracuse, and pledge tire Republican vote of this city whose delegates were insultingly driven from the Convention. We accept the miracle of clumsiness called "the platform," and bow to the moustrous State Committee. Come what may, we must carry New York for honest government and against the thieves.

removed fearing a spread of the flames.

Duke Alexis.

# The Markets.

LONDON, Sept. 29—11:30 a. m.—Consols opened at 92\frac{3}{2} for money and account. Bonds of 1862, 92\frac{2}{2}; 1865, old, 92\frac{1}{2}; 1867, 91\frac{1}{2}, 10-40s, 89\frac{3}{2} Loxbox, Sept. 29-1:30 p. m. -Bonds of 1862, 923; 1865, old, 93; 1867, 92.

PARIS, Sept. 29 .- The bullion in the Bank of France has increased 5,900,000 francs during the week. Rents opened at 56 francs, 35 centimes. Paris, Sept. 29.-Rentes 56 francs 5 centimes.

FRANKFORT, Sept. 29. Bonds opened at 951 New York, Sept. 29.—Stocks firm and quiet. Gold firm at 143a145. Money easy at 6. Va. sixes 613: new 68. Flour 10c better. Wheat 2a3c

better. Corn le better. BALTIMORE, Sept. 29 .- Cotton dull and nominal; low middlings 183. Plour active and firm. Wheat active and firm: Pennsylvania 165a166. Corn more active; white Southern 78aS2; mixed Western 73. Rye quiet but firm at 75a82.

Perpetual Motion in Cheap Goods, AT LOW PRICES!

Imposition Hated! 21 . Comparison Invited! Opposition Courted! Competition Defied! ATS. BLONDHEIM'S
CHEAR MAMMOTH CLOTHING STORE,

Corner King and Fairfax streets. Alexandria, Virginia. Call and examine his extensive assortment before purchasing elsewhere. An inspection of goods does not incur any obligation to purchase.

## Sarepta Hall Clothing House.

Mr. I. Schwartz, doing business under the firm name of I. Schwartz & Co., successor to S. Dealham, will leave here to-morrow for New York to purchase a stock of Goods suitable for the splendid new store he has leased in the new Sarepta Hall.

The patrons of the old house and the public London, Sept. 29.—The liverymen of the city of London, in accordance with their annual as the supply he will bring on will be the larg-

### Boots and Shoes.

HENRY STRAUSS has returned from the North with one of the largest and most varied assort-

BOOTS AND SHORS ever before brought to thiscity, and as he bought for cash, is prepared to sell at the cheapest pos-sible rates.

the Alexandria Library Company will be held on Friday evening, at 5 o'clock, at the store of E. S. Leadbeater, Treasurer, at which the attendance of every director is requested.

K. KEMPER, President. OFFEES-20 bags Rio, 6 mats Java and 4 bags Laguyra Collecs, received to-day by sep 20

MOICE V. P. SUGAR received this day by J. C. MILBURN. U sep 29 VERY CHOICE TEAS for sale by sep 29; J. C. MILBURN.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Needing more room than the house I now occupy affords, I have leased the new and commodious storehouse, corner of Royal street and Market alley, and shall, with increased stock, occupy it as a WHOLESALE and RETAIL GROCERY STORE, on or about the 10th of October next. J. C. MILBURN. sep 28-2w

Notice. Steamers of the Potomac Ferry Company, foot

mencing at 7 a.m., and making last trip at 6 p.m. S. S. HOWISON, President Potomac Ferry Co. POCKET and TABLE CUTLERY, SCISSORS, PLATED FORKS, &c., of all qualities, and in any quantity, at low prices, at 88 King street, corner of Royal J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

NEW CUCUMBER PICKLES just received and for sale by the 100 or dozen, at 147

NUTRINA, a new preparation of food. Don't fail to try it. For safe by WM. F. BROOKES,

147 King street. LADIES DRESS GOODS FROM N. Y.

Coming in to-day; beautiful; elegant; cheap; sep 28 At ROBT. L. WOOD'S. MOAL HODS, STOVE SHOVELS, &c., for sale at reduced prices, at 88 King street, by sep 28 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

20 BBLS PRIME OLD No. 2 MACKER-ELfor sale by W. H. SMITH & CO., sep 16 Under Mansion House, N. Fairfax st. REEN GINGER-A full supply just re-Creeved and for sale by

sep 18 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. 10 BBLS PRIME CIDER VINEGAR for sale by W. H. SMITH & CO., Linder Mansion House, N. Fairfax st. FRENCH WINDOWGLASS-A large sup-

ply on hand and for sale at lowest rates by sep 19 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. ASKETS-Fancy, Market and Clothes Bas-B kets, a full assortment for sale by AVERY & DAVIDSON. 226 King st., cor. Alfred.

ANNON'S BITTERS-A large supply just received and for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. DIAMONDS—Glaziers' Diamonds for sale by sep 19 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

MISSES' FINE BUTTON BOOTS at WADDEY'S, 74 King street. ADIES', MISSES AND CHILDREN'S RUBBER'S at WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

U Tongs, Andirons, &c., a fine assortment at JAS, F. CARLIN & SONS', 63 King street. TEPHYR WORSTEDS AND GERMAN-LI TOWN WOOL-Full stock; sold in large quantities very cheap at

TOAL HODS, Coal Shovels, Shovels and

GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE, 76 King street. L ADIES' FINE WALKING BOOTS at wadder's, 74 King street. 100 BBLS NO. 1 POTOMAC HER-

W. H. SMITH & CO. Henry Strauss is doing a large business at A company of men leave here to-day to-join N sep 21 WADDEY'S, 74 King street the 4th U. S. Artilery in North Carolina. SPECIAL NOTICES.

long abused and much abused human body. It is no longer considered wise to put a patient to the torture in order to cure him of a disease in which pain is already undermining the energies of his system. True science ranges itself on the LAND conveyed to the undersigned by deed from E. S. Plannage dated Released by deed from E. S. Plannage dated Released by deed from E. S. Plannage dated Released Frances. side of nature, and endeavors to assist her in her fight against disease. This is the province of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the most approved tonic ever advertised in this country. It may be recommended as a fall medicine, par excel-PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 29.—A serious fire commenced at 11 o'clock in the paper and rag warehouse of Jessup and Moore on North street and has spread to a six story store out sixth street occupied by the same firm. The buildings are in the centre of a large number of paper stores, the stock in which is being removed fearing a spread of the flames.

Indeed, for it is in the fall that biliousness, dyspepsia and malarious fevers are especially prevalent. The frame, exhausted by the heats of summer, is relaxed and feeble at its close, and requires, we may say demands, artificial assistance in occasional doses of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and the evils referred to may be escaped. Throughout the far west, and on the steaming alluvial of the Southern rivers all the varieties of periodical with line of this lot and Mrs. Morrison McLean's lence; for it is in the fall that biliousness, dys-Southern rivers, all the varieties of periodical fever are probably rife to-day. Had a course of Hostetter's Bitters been commenced by the suf-Boston, Sept. 29 .- A committee of the city ferers a month, i. c. before the unhealthy season set it, seven-eighths of them would in all probability be in their usual health at the present time. So much for want of forecast. So much for not keeping in the house, and using daily the best safeguard against epidemic and endemic

> As flocks of imposters and imitators are trying to follow in the wake of the great American remedy, therefore be sure that the article you buy is genuine and verified by the proper trade marks. The true article can only be obtained in bottles. Beware of the spurious bitters sold by the gallon or in keg. sep 25-colw On Marriage .- Essays for Young Men on

> great social evils and abuses, which interfere with marriage, and ruin the happiness of thous-ands—with sure means of relief for the erring and unfortunate, diseased and debilitated. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge.
> Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, No. 2

south Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Philadelphia, Pa., sep 2-d&tw3m

El Vino Catalina .- The announcement that has been so generally heralded throughout the country that an American company has again commenced importing this celebrated Wine Tonic is a matter of no small importance, and will be hailed with joy by all those seeking a pure and invigorating tonic; also, those who need a pure, pleasant and refreshing stimulant will find in the El Vino Catalina, or Brown's Catalina Wine Tonic, what they want. It will be remembered that importations were made in 1866 of this noted brand, but in consequence of the high duty then demanded by this government, the enterprise ceased, to the regret of thousands who had learned its value. It is the oldest tonic in the world, and doubtless the most invigorating, the purest and best, and if importation continues at the rates now started, it will take its place in every family in this as well as in the old countries. Its merits will make it a household article, and we hope that every one who has ever used any Bitters or common patent and then decide for themselves whether they will use this Tonic, prepared from the pure-juice of the Catalina grape, with Calisaya and the spices of Ceylon, or a bitters made of common whiskey and bitter field herbs. This is an invaluable preparation for weakness and debili-ty; it relieves morning languor and gives freshness and appetite, not followed by an unpleasant reaction.

It cures Dyspepsia. Indigestion, Costiveness, Bilious Derangements, Cramp Colic, Flatu-lence, Diarrhea, Dysentery Nausea, Vomiting, Morning Sickness, Chills and Favers, Headache, Nervous Irritability, Anaemia, Heart Disease, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Diseases of the Skin, and all Eruptions, either caused by other diseases or impurity of the blood. As a Tonic in Consumption, it has no superior, of which thousands believe themselves to have been cared by its use. We do not claim that it FOR NOTICE. - A meeting of the Directors of will cure Consumption, but we are sure that it will prevent it if taken freely in time.

AVERY & DAVIDSON, Grocers and Liquor Merchants, 226 King street, Alexandria, Va., Agents for Alexandria and the counties; J.M.M. CONRAD & Co., 19 Light street, Baltimore, Md., General Agents for the U. S. Office of the Com-pany, 48 S. Howard street, Baltimore, Md. je 3-eotf

Batchelor's Hair Dyc.—This superb Hair Dyc is the best in the World—Perfectly Harmless, Reliable and Instantaneous. No dis-Harmless, Reliable and Instantaneous. No disappointment. No Ridiculous Tints, or Unpleasant Odor. The genuine W. A. Batchelor's Hair Dye produces IMMEDIATELY a splendid Black or Natural Brown. Does not Stain the Skin, but leaves the Hair Clean, Soit and Beautiful. The only Safe and Perfect Dye. Sold by all-Druggists. Factory, 16 Bond st., New York. New York in 20—colv

New York, jan 20-eoly SPECIAL! SPECIAL!

Mrs. C. L. SIMPSON Is now in New York city making her fall purchases, which she is doing with great care. They will consist of MILLINERY GOODS

of every variety; also Dress Trimmings and Patterns—a part of which will be ready to exnibit on Saturday, September 30.

Prices and styles will be made to please al who will favor her with a call. 125 King street, 5 doors east of A. & W. R. R depot.

FRITZ SCHNEIDER'S RESTAURANT. Having taken charge of my place, No. 115 King street, I respectfully invite my triends and the public generally to call.

OYSTERS served in every style. Choice NORFOLK OYSTERS received regularly by the Lady of the Lake. Saturday, Sept. 30-FREE LUNCH day and

Nothing but the choicest served at my place, sep 28-1m\* FRITZ SCHNEIDER. MILITARY GOODS.

We have made arrangements to furnish every variety of MILITARY GOODS, and in every case guarantee satisfaction. Officers and others representing the Virginia State volunteers would do well to consult us be-

fore making their selections. ROBT. L. WOOD, No. 62 King st., Alexandria, Va. BLANKETS! BLANKETS! BLANKETS!

A large assortment of 9-4, 10-4 and 12-4 Bed Blankets; also Colored Blankets.
20 pieces Bleached and Bro. Canton Flannels, W. N. RERKLEY, just opened by sep 26 64 King street. LOST-On Sunday last, on Fairfax or King streets, a pair of GOLD SPECTACLES with "Mrs. Elizabeth Hart, Duke street" en-

graved upon them. A suitable reward will be given the finder upon leaving them at No. 80 south Fairfax street. COUNTERPANES. A very large assortment of Plain, White and Scarlet Embroidered Marseilles Quilts. Also, Honey Comb and Allendale Spreads, at sep 19 WITMER & SLAYMAKER'S.

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY-We are now receiving our fall stock, to which we invite the attention of country merchants. Try us before going farther. JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,

63 King street

NOTICE-Having secured the services of a competent mechanic, we are prepared to repair Scales in a workmanlike manner, at a moderate cost. J. F. CARLIN & SONS, 63 King street. sep 26 10 BBLS STRICTLY PURE CIDER VINEGAR just received and for sale by GEO. McBURNEY & SON,

166 and 170 King street. SILVER GLOSS, OSWEGO PURE and PALMETTO STARCH for sale by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON. 166 and 170 King street. DURYEA'S CORN STARCH, MAIZENA and SATIN GLOSS STARCH for sale by G. WM. RAMSAY,

OLD DOMINION CHEESE for sale by G. W.M. RAMSAY,

AUCTION SALES.

o'clock m. of that day, all that TRACT OF LAND conveyed to the undersigned by deed from E. S. Plummer, dated February 1st, 1855, in trust, to secure a debt in said deed mentioned, the said tract of land being situated near Centreville, within the said county of Fairfax, and bounded as follows, to wit:

the corner of Cameron and Pitt streets, now occupied by the Misses Neale as a boarding house. Sale to take place on the premises at 11 Beginning at A, on the north side of the old with line of this lot and Mrs. Morris or McLean's land S. 794° E. 90 poles, passing an anciently marked line tree; thence with another line of said lots S. 34° W. 84 poles 14 links to the beginning, containing 91 acres, 3 roods and 12 poles Terms cash. H. O. CLAUGHTON, Trustee.

Fairfax Court House, sep 16-eots

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALU-ABLE FAIRFAX LAND.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county. rendered at its June term, 1871, in the cause of J. W. Farr vs. J. E. Reeside, the undersigned, Commissioner, will sell, at public auction, on MONDAY, October 16th, 1871, Court day, in MONDAY, October 16th, 1871, Court day, infront of the Court House of said county, a VAL-UABLE TRACT OF LAND, lying half a mile northeast of Dranesville, on War ien's old road, adjoining Jones, Reid and Carper, and contain-ing 1881 acres being well wooded and watered and with good and new fencing, and has on it a GOOD HOUSE, containing four rooms, and a large shed for stable and barn, now occupied by

James W. Farr. Terms: One-tenth cash; the residue in three equal instalments at six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest; the deferred payments to retention of the title till the last payment is made, and the cash payment to be forfeited, and the land resold on failure of the purchaser to com-

ply with the terms of sale.
M. DULANY BALL. Fairfax co., sep 16-lawts Com. of Sale. VALUABLE REAL ESTATE ON KING

STREET.
Will be sold by public auction, on SATUR-DAY, the 7th day of October next, at 12 o'clock m., on the premises, that VALUABLE PROPERTY, 127 King street, owned by the Fire In-

surance Co. of Alexandria.

This property is centrally situated in the business part of the city. The lot fronts on King st. 50 feet, extending back 170 feet to a wide alley. The building is 30 feet front, and most substantially built. On the first floor are three offices and vaults. The second story and back building is a comfortable dwelling, with brick stable and carriage house in the rear, all of which are now under rent. Terms: One-third cash; the residue in two

equal instalments at six and twelve months. JOHN H. BRENT, Prest. Fire Ins. Co., of Alexa. MARKET FARM FOR SALE.—Pursuant to a decree of the County Court of Fairfax

county, rendered at its May term, 1871, in the suit of Joseph Bruin use C. L. Mankins against Thomas Javins the undersigned, the Commissioners therein named, will offer at public auction on SATURDAY, Sept. 30, at 12 m., at Catt's Tavern, West End, that highly cultivated and valuable MARKET FARM, belonging to, and now in possession of, Thomas Javins, containing 572 acres of land lying on the Little River Turnpike, about 2 miles west of Alexandria. The land is highly improved with good buildings, and is a most desirable farm.

Terms of sale: Cash, so much as will pay expenses; residue upon a credit of 1, 2, and 3 years, with interest, to be secured by bonds, with bonds, with good security and a deed of trust upon the premises.

C. W. WATTLES.
D. L. SMOOT.
H. W. THOMAS,

Fairfax county, sep 2-lawts Comm'rs. TEW BOOKS, MAGAZINES & REVIEWS

FRENCH'S. NO. 95 KING STREET AT LAST, a Christmas in the West Indies, y Charles Kingsley; handsomely illustrated; THE MEMBER FOR PARIS, a tale of the second empire, by Trois-Etoiles; paper covers, 75e; bound, \$1.25 ODD HOURS OF A PHYSICIAN, by John

CICERO, being the 9th volume of Ancient

bel's Progress," &c.; 75c.

THE HOUSE IN TOWN, a sequel to Opportunities, by the author of "Wide, Wide World;" ROOKSTONE, by Katharine Macquoid; paper covers, 75c; bound, \$1.25.

ZERUB THROOP'S EXPERIMENT, by
Mrs. A. D. F. Whitney, author of "Faith Gartney's Girlhood;" \$1.

GIDEON'S ROCK, by Katharine Saunders; THE DESIGN OF THE RITUALISTS AND THEIR FRIENDS UNMASKED, an address to Episcopalians, by a Prayer Book Churchman; 15c; mailed on receipt of price. WHAT TO WEAR AND HOW TO MAKE IT-Demorest's Semi-Annual Book of Fash-

THE ALDINE for September; 25c.
All the NEW FASHION BOOKS on hand. GEO. E. FRENCH. SARAH S. SWANN et al., by next friend, vs. Charles S. Wallack et al., in chancery in the Circuit Court for Alexandria city.

To all whom it may concern:
[Extract from Decree.] "The Court doth order, adjudge, and decree, that this cause be referred to a Commissioner of this Court, who is directed to state and settle the account of Rosina M. Swann, executrix; also to ascertain and report all liens that may be upon the land mentioned in the bill, and to take an account of all debts that may be due and owing by the estate

of the said William T. Swann. This is to give notice that the undersigned, Commissioner, has appointed Thursday, October 5th, for executing the requirements of the above decree, at the office of John S. Chapman, esq., No. 68 Prince street. K. KEMPER, Comm'r. sep 11-cotd

NEW WALL PAPER. J. P. CLARKE Is now receiving his Spring supply of DECORATIONS, selected with great care. This is the largest and most elegant assortment of new design of PAPER HANGINGS ever offered in this city, at greatly reduced prices.

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No. 158 King street.

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WEST POINT CADET CLOTH. Just received this day, another piece of the above. We have not only tested the color of these goods with acid, but have sold a great many satisfaction as to their durability. St. John's Academy suits made to order, on short notice; fit guaranteed.
WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

NOTICE. We have a large stock of MISSES AND CHILDREN'S COLORED BOOTS, of very superior quality and handsome styles, which will be sold at greatly reduced prices from now until the first of September.

W. B. WADDEY, 74 King st. jy 6  $\mathbf{Y}^{ ext{ARNS}}$ Received this day a large supply of Blue-mix-ed, Gray and White Knitting Yarns-all sizes and prices. I have been selling this Yarn for twenty years, and it is acknowledged to be the best ever sold in this city.
sep 14 C. C. BERRY, 72 King st.

sep 14 FEED. AUGUTUS WALL, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in HAY, GRAIN, STRAW AND MILL FEED

nov 10-1y 201 King street, ALEXANDRIA, VA. LOUDOUN CHEESE.

AUCTION SALES.

VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY AT AUCTION. Will be sold by public auction, on MONDAY, the 2d day of October, 1871, the large and valuable three-story BRICK DWELLING on

o'clock a. m. Terms cash. COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUA-COUNTY .- By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at the June term, 1869, in the suit of Grady's administra-tor vs. James J. Love and others, the undersigned, commissioner, in said decree named, will, on MONDAY, the 6th day of November, 1871, that being Circuit Court day, offer for sale, to the highest bidder, before the door of the Court House of Fairfax county, at 12 o'clock m... that valuable TRACT OF LAND, lying on the Germantown road, in said county, about four miles west of Vienna station, and on which Mr. Sinkfield resides, containing 438 ACRES.

land is improved by a new FRAME DWEL-LING, with other buildings; has an abun-dance of wood, is finely watered, and the soil susceptible of easy and rapid improvement. Terms: One-tenth of the purchase money in hand on the day of sale, liable to be forfeited should the purchaser fail to complete his purchase; the residue in three equal instalments. payable at six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, and the title to be retained until the last payment is made. Stamps and deed at the cost of the purchaser.

MATTHEW HARRISON, Com. of Sale. Fairfax county, sep 27-wts

SERGEANT'S SALE.—By virture of an or-der issued by the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, at the July term, 1871, and months, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, and son vs. John C. McCracken, I will sell at public son vs. John C. McCracken, I wall sell at public auction in front of the premises on SATURDAY the 21st DAY, of OCTOBER, 1871, at 1 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest of the same being the fee simple estate subject to the life interest of his wife Mary McCracken) of the said John C. McCracken, in the BRICK DWELLING and LOT, occupied by U.M. Monroe, situated in the city of Alexandria, or the cost side of Water street, between king on the east side of Water street, between King

and Prince streets, to the highest bidder.

Terms cash. J. M. STEUART. sep 21-ts

SERGEANT'S SALE.—By virtue of an erder issued by the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, at the July term, 1871, and to me directed, in the case of Geo. L. Seaton vs. to me directed, in the case of Geo. I. Seaton vs. J. G. VerPlanck, I will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises, on SATURDAY, the 30th day of October, 1871, at 12 o'clock m., all the right, title and interest of the said J. G. VerPlanck, in the BRICK DWELLING and LOT occupied by G. W. Clifford, situated in the city of Alexandria, on the west side of Water street, between King and Prince, to the bishest hidder. Terms Cash highest bidder. Terms cash. sep 21-ts J. M. STEUART, Sergeant. sep 21-ts

By Luther D. Harrison, Auctioneer. BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of Alexandria city, readered at its September term, 1871, in the chancery cause of Lyles & Hall vs. Caroline S. Decery cause of Lyles & Hall vs. Caroline S. Devaughn, the undersigned will, in front of the premises, at 12 o'clock m., on SATURDAY, October 7th, 1871, offer for sale, by public auction, the valuable BRICK HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND, numbered 48, on the south side of Wolfe, between Fairfax and Water streets, in the city of Alexandria, Va.

Terms: One-third of the purchase money in coch and the residue in two could be available.

cash, and the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve menths from the day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the purchaser's proved security, and a retention of the title to the property sold until the deferred payments shall have been made. Conveyancing and stamps at purchaser's expense. ALBERT STUART,

D. L. SMOOT, Coms. of Sale.

RARE CHANCE FOR CAPITAL.

Unable to farm from ill-health, and anxiousto pay my debts, I offer for sale the following val-uable REAL ESTATE: The LOWER GRANVILLE FARM, containing 3741 acres, situated 4 miles west of Warrenton, on the Waterloo turnpike, and adjoining "Oakwood," the estate of the late Robert E. Scott. This land, gently undulating, with fine Southern exposure, and lying in the basin of the Comms, M. A.; Sl.

ANNE FURNESS, a novel, by the author of "The Sacristan's Household," "Veronica," "Mabel's Progress." &c.; 75c. new frame stable, two corn cribs, and is under good fencing. Should the purchaser desire, he can buy Capt. A. D. Payne's farm, adjoining, of some 345 acres, when he will have a fine estate, 720 acres, in that beautiful and fertile valley. with orchard, buildings, and every convenience and comfort. The McCoy tract, a neat little farm of 81 acres, adjoining, can also be beng it.

I will also sell "LINWOOD," my place of residence, 3 miles from Markham station, on the

M. G. R. R., containing 262 acres, situated at the eastern base of the Blue Ridge, within hard a mile of the "Falls of Albano," in the blue grass region of Upper Fauquier; well timbered, watered and fenced; protected from the rude winds of winter and fanned by the most refresh-ing breezes of summer; I doubt whether a more romentic spot, comfortable home, or desirable piece of property can be found. The dwelling is comfortable, with all the necessary out buildings. The soil is of good quality, and generous in the production of all the cereals, rich in minorals, and interspersed with springs of various medicinal properties. This place is also the location of extensive marble quarries, among which I may mention beautiful Breceria of all colors, Verd Antique and Serpentine Marbles (Ophiolites) of different colors, Chalcedony, Jaspers, Chromato Iron, Soap Stone, Sulphate and Oxides Iron, beautiful Ochres, very clear of grit, and valua-ble for paints; Meerschaum, red and white Porphyries, and a rock, which, when ground, is a superior fertilizer.

Terms: I want for this property \$7,000 in cash

Terms: I want for this property \$7,000 in cash to pay my debts; the deferred payments can be made to suit purchaser. "Linwood" to be sold subject to a royalty of 10 per cent. Address the subscriber, ALBAN S. PAYNE, M. D., Markham Station, Fauquier co., Va. If this property is not disposed of by private sale before the FOURTH MONDAY OF NO. VEMAER, it will be put up at public auction on that day, in front of the Court House, in the town of Warrenton, Fauquier county, Va. Fauquier county, jy 11-lawiim

By Wm. H. Beck & Co.,

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF LAND IN
ALEXANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA.
By authority of a decree of the Circuit Court for
the county of Alexandria, rendered at the November term, 1870, of said Court, in the suit of
George A. Birch and wife vs. Robert Harrison
and wife et als. the undersigned commissioners and wife et als., the undersigned, commissioners these goods with acid, but have sold a great many pieces of them, and they have given universal the Court House, in the city of Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, the 2d day of October, 1871, at 12 o'clock m., a TRACT OF LAND, in Alexandria county, Va., containing 20 acres, situated about one mile from Ball's Cross roads, and three miles from Georgetown, D. C., and adjoining the lands of Samuel Birch, Mary A. Hall and others, the same being that tractor land of which Thomas Birch died seized.

Terms: One-fourth of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in three equal payments at six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale; the deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with approved security, and the retention of the title to the land until the same are paid.

LAW. B. TAYLOR, ALBERT STUART.

Coms. of Sale sep 11-eots TNFANTS BOOTS AND SLIPPERS-A I fine stock, in every color, style and quality, at very reasonable prices, at sep 21 WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

MISSES WALKING AND SCHOOL BOOTS-A large stock, in every styleand quality; prices low, at sep 21 WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

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LADIES' HOUSE SHOES.

Large stock and great variety, suitable for